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FM AMEMBASSY WARSAW

TO USIA WASHDC IMMEDIATE

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WHITE HOUSE WASHDC

INFO AMEMBASSY HELSINKI

AMEMBASSY BONN

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USIA FOR IEU/ARNOLD: DEPT FOR A/O. WHITE HOUSE FOR ADVANCE
OFFICE; HELSINKI AND BONN PASS TO PREADVANCE TEAM AND KRAUS

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP(FORD, GERALD)

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL VISIT

1. AT REQUEST OF ANDRZEJ KONOPACKI, DEPUTY DIRECTOR MFA
DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION AND CULTURAL COTEERATION, PAO AND
IO DISCUSSED PROBABLE NEEDS OF VISITING NEWSMEN. HESOROMISED
FULL ASSISTANCE IN ARRANGING PRESS CENTER WITH ALL NECESSARY
COMMUNICATIONS AND ACCOMMODATIONS FOR VISITING U.S. AND OTHER
FOREIGN NEWSMEN. FOR THAT PURPOSE, NEED ASAP BEST ESTIMATE
NUMBER OF JOURNALISTS WHO WILL COME TO WARSAW.

2. KONOPACKI ESTIMATES DOLS FIFTY COST PER DAY PER JOURNALIST
OF HOTEL ACCOMMODATION, INCLUDING ROOM, MEALS, TRANSPORT BY
BY BUS, AND BAGGAGE HANDLING. COST OF PRESS CENTER, IN-
CLUDING COSTS OF SPECIAL TELEX AND TELEPHONE CABLES,
EIGHT INTERPRETERS, SECRETARIES, INCLUDING REFRESHMENT
ROOM, AND P&C ROOM, HE ESTIMATED AT 250,000 ZLOTIES
(US DOLS \$12,550.20 AT 19.92

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ZLS-DOLS 1). WILL WHITE HOUSE PRESS OFFICE BEAR COST

OF PRESS CENTER?

3. KONOPACKI ASKED IF REPORTERS WOULD HAVE CREDIT CARDS TO COVER TELEX AND TELEPHONE COSTS AND WHETHER WHITE HOUSE PRESS OFFICE WOULD ARRANGE FOR COMBINED PAYMENT OF JOURNALISTS LODGING EXPENSES.

4. KONOPACKI ALSO STRONGLY URGED THAT VISA APPLICATIONS FOR JOURNALISTS BE SUBMITTED ASAP. LIST OF NEWSMEN SHOUPD BE FORWARDED TO THE EMBASSY AS WELL, TO FACILITATE VISA SUPPORT AND ISSUANCE OF ACCREDITATION CREDENTIALS. NEED SPECIFICALLY NAME, DATE OF BIRTH, AND PASSPORT NUMBER.

5. KONOPACKI LEAVES THIS AFTERNOON FOR HELSINKI AND WILL RETURN MORNING OF JULY 19. PREFERABLY BEFORE NOON OF THAT DAY, WHEN WE SHALL MEET AGAIN WITH HIM, BUT BY THEN AT LATEST, REQUEST THAT YOU INFORM US HOW MAY U.S. AND FOREIGN JOURNALISTS COMING FROM WASHINGTON WILL NEED ACCOMMODATIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE. UNTIL KONOPACKI'S RETURN, WE SHALL BE DEALING WITH POLISH WORKING GROUP HEADED BY ZDISLAW SZAKIEWICZ, INTERPRESS.
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